

GREAT BATTLE SCHEDULED AT NORMAL FLOOR TONIGHT

NORMAL OUT FOR REVENGE IN CONTEST

Team in Good Condition and Should Win From the Visitors.

If you want to see a basketball game that will be full of pepper and fight from the start to finish and one which the home team will likely win by a narrow margin; if you want to see two fast teams in action and 40 minutes of furious floor fighting, then come out to the Normal school this evening and see the game between Tothman's Terrors and the Clarksburg All-Stars or Collegians. The game promises to be one of the best of the local season, and the last home game of any consequence for the Normal lads this year, as the game with Morris-Harvey on Thursday evening of this week will be last of the home season for the locals, unless Sandy has some extra games scheduled that he has not said anything about.

On January 26th the locals took a trip to Clarksburg and were defeated by the team they play this evening 35-25. The local lads were away off form and added to this condition the referee was blind in the second half of the game when the locals staged a comeback. The combination was too much and the Clarksburg bunch got away with the contest. Tonight the local lads are confident that there will be a different story. Fresh from their successful trip last week, the Normal lads will go into the game tonight confident of victory and seeking revenge for the defeat at Clarksburg.

It is likely that the regular five—the two Hamiltons, Jimmie Knight, Lough and Longfellow Shuman will start the game for the locals. And if these boys are in good form, Clarksburg is in for a merry session. Pete Hamilton did not play in the game at Clarksburg, but he is very anxious to get a shot at them. The Clarksburg bunch will likely get in late this afternoon.

It is expected that one of the largest crowds of the season will witness tonight's battle. The local people are proud of the record that the Normal team made on the road last week and will likely give the boys a royal welcome home this evening.

Unless it is impossible on account of a number of men being off duty on account of illness, the Traction company will provide extra car service before and after the game. It is likely that a number of fans will come from Clarksburg to see the contest, as there is great rivalry between the followers of the two quintets.

The game will be called at 8 o'clock and Garrett will likely handle the whistle.

Only One Match In This League

In the Industrial bowling league last night, Hartley's forfeited to the Wall Plaster company, while the Monongah Glass took two out of three from the Owens bunch. Gldel got the high individual score with 156. He also took high score for three games with 379. Monongah Glass took high single game an three game scores 363 and 1,043.

The scores:

Monongah Glass.		
Joyce	113	152
Decker	99	103
Gldel	156	105
	363	315

Owens.		
Conley	124	118
Brown	82	86
Shilpp	88	119
	294	323

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Monongah Glass	16	5	.762
Mining Machine	10	4	.714
Hutchinson	11	6	.647
Mid West	8	6	.571
Wall Plaster	12	9	.571
Demists	10	8	.555
West Virginia	8	7	.533
Owens	7	13	.350
Hartley's	5	12	.293
Willets	0	13	.000

HIS IDEA.

Life got upon the soapbox and to his hearers said: "I am a rabid anarchist. A 'rarin', rarin' Rod. I shout for nickel peanuts. Demand that five-cent pop. This baseball profiteering. Has simply got to stop. Restore the two-bit bleachers. Make cushion seats five cents. Quit filling up the knot holes. Along the outfield fence. Bring back those fragrant hot dogs. Those fat and juicy ones. Restore the pristine volume. That featured ball park buns. And make the grand old game What it was when its heroes Played just for fun and fame!" The crowd yelled in approval. The speaker paused for breath. One fan cried: "That is heaven! 'Twill only come with death!"

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Honus Wagner Celebrates His 46th Birthday; Still in Game

They may tell of the wonderful Babe Ruth, of Tris Speaker, of Ty Cobb and others, but it is doubtful if after all is said and done that there will ever be a greater ball player than the man who down in the little town of Carnegie, near Pittsburgh, celebrates today his 46th birthday. That man is none other than the great and only Honus Wagner, himself. Some time there may develop as great a ball player, or greater, but none who will ever bring more honor and glory to the game. Forty-six years ago today the "Flying Dutchman" was born in Carnegie, and over 20 of the years that have elapsed since that time he spent as an active big league ball player. He could have been a major league player for several more years, but was one of the wise fellows who retired himself from the big league circles before Father Time ordered him off the field. While his major league days are over, Wagner still plays baseball and basketball about Pittsburgh, and among other things, pinpoints the destinies of the Carnegie Tech baseball squad.

Wagner was always noted for his loyalty to his employer. He lived and played through two major league insurrections. First when the American league was born, and secondly when the Federal league had its innings. Honus could have had a small fortune to flop to any Federal league team at the time that league started up and was swamped with offers. But

he told all agents he was going to stick with the team he had played on when he made his reputation; nor did he try to hold up the Pittsburgh ball club for more money.

The passing years have been good to the grand old man of the diamond, and today he is one of the prominent and prosperous business men of his native town, happily married and everything. One of the big traits of character of Wagner was his attitude toward youngsters. Honus always liked the kids, and was the idol of every bat boy who ever carried a bat at Forbes Field. If you happened to get out to the ball park early some day, you would find that the first thing Honus did when he came on the field was to dig up the batboy or mascot and have a little batting practice. He would get the kids to pitch to him, and often "strike out" much to the delight of the youthful hurlers; or at other times to the equal delight of the kids he would knock the ball over the left field wall and into Schenley park.

Wagner was not a thing of beauty on the ball field, but probably the most popular player from one end of the big league circuit to the other there ever was or ever will be. Many stars are popular for a year or two—long enough to draw fabulous salaries—but there are a very, very few who can hold the limelight for 20 years and over.

Here's how, Honus Wagner, old scout and, how happy returns of the day.

Fairview Wins Another Battle

Fairview High school had little trouble in taking the game with Rivesville at Rivesville last night. Two of the Rivesville regulars were out of the game, while many substitutes were used during the contest by Fairview. The final count was 42 to 11. The first half of the game was close, but Fairview walked away in the second period. The Rivesville coach hopes to have all his regulars in line for the tournament. The score:

Fairview 42.	Rivesville 11.
B Ammons	Forward.
Snodgrass	Forward.

Smith	Center.
Jarvis	Guard.
A. Ammons	Guard.

Substitutions—Tennant for Snodgrass; Fritz for A. Ammons; Stewart for B. Ammons.

Field Goals—Post 1, Jackson 1, Snodgrass 7, Jarvis 2, Smith 3, A. Ammons 1, Tennant 1, Stewart 5.

Fouls—Jackson 6 out of 11; Spencer 1 out of 2; Snodgrass 6 out of 8; Smith 1 out of 3.

Wesleyan is Winner Over Bethany Team

Wesleyan defeated Bethany last night in a hard fought game 40-27. The Methodists were forced to play hard all the way. The score:

Wesleyan 40.	Bethany 27.
Snedegar	Forward.
Johnson	Forward.

Stark	Center.
Rohrbaugh	Center.
Potter	Guard.

Substitutions—Wesleyan, Ross for Snedegar; Fisher for Johnson; Lorentz for Rohrbaugh; Bethany, Blue for Randolph.

Field Goals—Snedegar 5, Johnson 4, Potter 1, Stark 4, Roark 2, Allen 2, Randolph 1, Rezonico 1.

Foul Goals—Johnson 11 in 12; Stark 1 in 2; Allen 15 in 22. Referee Borham.

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FANS VIEWS ABOUT SEAT PRICE GIVEN

Want Better Seats If Price of Admission Goes Up

By E. I. SANBORN.

Concerning the question of raising the price of professional baseball to the public, there are two sides to it. The cost of a major league team has increased proportionately to the cost of everything else in this country since the war. The people have more money, and, judging by last season, seem willing to spend more on the National pastime, but they demand more for their money.

There are a lot of the fans who used to be glad to sit in the open faced stands for two bits a game, who are perfectly able and willing to cough up four to six bits to see a ball game now, but they do not want to sit out in the sun or rain and watch the fracas at long range as they used to. They object to paying 50 cents for the former quarter seats or 75 cents for the former half dollar location.

Last year in nearly every park of both major circuits the patronage in the grandstands and higher priced seats was larger than normal and that of the bleachers and pavilions below previous years. At some games there would be a heavy overflow from the 75 cent section, while big empty patches showed in the quarter stands. And if the management attempted to divert the folk from the higher priced ticket windows with the information they could get standing room only because there was plenty of room in the bleachers such efforts were unsuccessful as a rule.

In order to satisfy the patrons, on the basis of last year's demands, a club owner would need to remodel his plant so that he could increase the supply of box and grandstand seats and reduce the space allotted to the cheaper grades. But in doing this he would have to change his equipment so that 75 cents would entitle a fan to an individual seat instead of a flexible section of a community bench such as has been provided for four bidders in the past. In other words, the patron who has more dough than ever before wants to be more comfortable at a ball game. He won't kick on sitting in the same identical spot for 75 cents where he used to squat for 50 cents provided he has a grandstand "opera chair" to sit on.

Baseball promoters are not so fortunate as those who deal in other commodities. The guy who used to pay \$10 for something the salesman tells him is of the same grade and will scorn to take a pair priced at \$5 unless he is next door to broke. The \$10 shoe may, or may not be as good as the guy used to get for a five spot, but he won't know it. You can't fool the baseball fan, however. He knows a two-bit equal when he sees it.

Then there is the fellow who didn't think perfume at \$10 an ounce good enough for his "steady" and wanted something more expensive. The sales person could have taken a bottle of the same stuff off another shelf and sold it for 15 per ounce if the swain had that much to spend for it. And the proprietor of a store always can get more high priced goods by ordering them while the baseball promoter's stock of wares is pretty firmly fixed by concrete and steel limits.

SENIORS WON.

The seniors defeated the Freshmen in the second of the series of inter-class games at the local high school. The score:

Seniors 19.	Freshmen 13.
Hennen	Forward.
Pierpont	Forward.

Andre	Center.
Trach	Guard.

(C) Knight R. Hawkins (C) Guard

Field goals: Seniors—Hennen 3 Knight 2, Fisher 1, Freshmen—Hall 2. Fouls: Seniors—Knight 7 out of 12. Freshmen—Hall 8 out of 12, Todesco 1 out of 4.

Subs: Seniors—Fisher for Trach; Haden for Pierpont; Stevens for Haden. Freshmen—H. Hawkins for Cole. Referee—Bohler. Time of halves 15 minutes.

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Some Local Sport Chatter

With the big tournament in this city only a few days away, we beg to submit a few more records of some of the teams entered in the affair:

Belington. Parsons 33, Belington 19; Belington 41, Elkins Independents 17; Sutton 21, Belington 19; Lumberport 51, Belington 19; Belington 21, Grafton Reserves 19; Belington 26, D. & E. Preps 13.

Kingwood. Terra Alta 20, Kingwood 16; Kingwood 11, Masontown 10; Kingwood 20, Wadestown 16; Kingwood 26, Newburg 10; Kingwood 17, Morgantown 16; Kingwood 23, Blacksville 16; Wadestown 19, Kingwood 15; Kingwood 44, Newburg 6; Kingwood 35, Masontown 10; Bristol 25, Kingwood 15.

Rivesville. Jane Lew 30, Rivesville 20; Rivesville 32, Benwood 20; Rivesville 33, Farmington 15; Smithfield 35, Rivesville 25; Wallace 34, Rivesville 27; Rivesville 25, Smithfield 18; Rivesville 45, Wallace 19; Rivesville 47, Shinnston 41.

Farmington. Farmington 48, Jane Lew 20; Farmington 57, Littleton 16; Farmington 36, Fairview 25; Farmington 39, Manning 18; Farmington 29, Wallace 17; Littleton 53, Farmington 18; Farmington 30, Benwood 20; Waynesburg 52, Farmington 12; Rivesville 23, Farmington 15; Shinnston 21, Farmington 19; Farmington 53, East Side Fairmont 8; Fairview 81, Farmington 23; Farmington 36, Manning 17.

Masontown. Masontown 19, Morgantown High Reserves 16; Kingwood 11, Masontown 10; Wadestown 22, Masontown 21; Masontown 28, Independents 8; Masontown 17, Morgantown Christians 14; Blacksville 15, Masontown 12; Masontown 16, Reedsville 12; Masontown Christians 33, Masontown 23; Masontown 42, Newburg 9; Kingwood 35, Masontown 10; Tunnelton 25, Masontown 26; Shinnston 32, Masontown 29.

Grafton. Grafton 51, Harrisville 23; Grafton 23, Elkins 21; Grafton 37, Parkersburg 23; Morgantown 24, Grafton 22; Grafton 27, Buckhannon 20; Grafton 51, Shepherd College 28; Grafton 63, Terra Alta 16; Grafton 42, Keyser Preps 16; Grafton 26, Fairmont 24; Grafton 9, Weston 34; Grafton 28, Jane Lew 18; Grafton 23, Victory 14; Grafton 44, Williamstown 22; Grafton 16, Parkersburg 24; Grafton 54, Middlebourne 19; Fairmont 31, Grafton 16; Grafton 49, Fairview 43.

Even now the action of the athletic council at the University of Pennsylvania is sending Coach Polwell on his way and taking on Heisman from Georgia Tech as head coach for the next season apparently than the old idea which seems a fixture at Pennsylvania that the athletic council's chief function is to make a star-spangled monkey of itself and the institution every once in so often. The kick is not so much on bringing Heisman in as for letting Polwell out without sufficient reason. After commenting on the fuss that the change has caused in Philadelphia an eastern writer ends

his article thusly: "Substantial reasons for the dismissal of Polwell were few and far between at the meeting of the council. The members of the council were at a loss to place any definite charge at the door of the past coach, and only one concrete argument was advanced, and it seems this concrete was not very well mixed."

At the time the action of the council was made public we made comment in this column to the effect that the council would live to regret the action, and we still hold to that opinion.

Little Mike Hamilton, Longfellow Shuman and Lough were in the office this morning and all stated Clarksburg would get walloped tonight. These guys should know. If they all play their best, it will be a simple matter for Fairmont to take the contest.

If Sandy Toothman gets any more work on his hands he will have to have two Fords instead of one to get him over his territory.

The tournament director says he is going to have typewriters and desks and everything for the newspaper boys at the sessions. Also going to serve supper at the Normal perhaps, so the people won't have to drag to town between sessions. Hot biscuits a la Normal.

"Doc" Garrett will referee tonight. Have not seen "Doc" doing a marathon on the Normal floor for several days.

Jimmie Knight will be out for blood tonight. They guarded him terribly close and rough in the game at Clarksburg.

Come out early and avoid the rush, as a record breaking crowd will likely see the contest. Game starts at 8 o'clock.

ALL-STARS LOSE.

The Fairmont All-Stars were defeated at Shinnston last night 27-14. The score:

Big Five 27.	All-Stars 14.
Brannon	Forward.
G. Hursey	Forward.

W. Hursey	Forward.
Bassar	Center.
Rock	Guard.

Substitutions—Lowe for Bock; McKee for Brannon.

Field Goals—Brannon 2, G. Hursey 2, W. Hursey 7, Bassar 1, R. Smith 3, F. Smith 1, Brimm 1.

Goals from Fouls—Brannon 2 in 2; W. Hursey 1 in 4; F. Smith 4 in 5.

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IT is characteristic of folks after they pass the allotted "three score years and ten," to look back over the days that are gone and thoughtfully live them over.

I find myself, at seventy-one, frequently drifting back a quarter of a century, when I see myself in the little drug store I owned at Bolivar, Mo., making and selling a vegetable compound to my friends and customers—what was then known only as Dr. Lewis' Medicine for Stomach, Liver and Bowel Complaints.

For many years while I was perfecting my formula I studied and investigated the laxatives and cathartics on the market and became convinced that their main fault was not that they did not act on the bowels, but that their action was too violent and drastic, and upset the system of the user; which was due to the fact that they were not thorough enough in their action, some simply acting on the upper or small intestine, while others would act only on the lower or large intestine, and that they invariably produced a habit requiring augmented doses.

I believed that a preparation to produce the best effect must first tone the liver, then act on the stomach and entire alimentary system. If this was accomplished, the medicine would produce a mild, but thorough elimination of the waste without the usual sickening sensations, and make the use of the medicine pleasant.

After experimenting with hundreds of different compounds, I at last perfected the formula that is now known as Nature's Remedy, which I truly believe goes further

and does more than any laxative on the market today. The thousands of letters from my friends, before I ever offered it for sale, caused me to have great faith in Nature's Remedy from the very first.

And now as I find myself nearing the age when I must bow to the inevitable and go to another life, my greatest pleasure is to sit each day and read the letters that each mail brings from people as old or older than I, who tell of having used Nature's Remedy for ten, fifteen and twenty years, and how they and their children and grandchildren have been benefited by it.

It is a comforting thought, my friends, for a man at my age to feel that aside from his own success, one has done something for his fellow man. My greatest satisfaction, my greatest happiness today, is the knowledge that tonight more than one million people will take a Nature's Remedy (N.R. Tablet) and will be better, healthier, happier people for it. I hope you will be one of them.

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NEW LINEUP FOR VARSITY

Fans Will See Different Combination Against Penn State.

MORGANTOWN, Feb. 24. — Mountaineer basketball followers will see a new floor combination against Penn State here on Friday night. That is, it will be almost an entirely new outfit from that which represented the Old Gold and Blue before the team took its eastern trip. In all probability Dawson and Hawkins will play the guards; Gaines will be at center and Hill and Cutright at the forwards. Gaines played two remarkable games for the Varsity on its eastern trip

against the Rochester Centrals and Union College. Rochester had not lost a game this season till the Mountaineers appeared and Dartmouth had been beaten 33-6 by Union, so it can be seen that these teams were by no means "cripples." Gaines fine work in both contests undoubtedly won them for the Mountaineers. It is possible that Kiger will play at forward with Hill instead of Cutright though in the last few minutes of the Rutgers game Cutright made the Mountaineers a contender for victory when substituted for Kiger.

Captain Morrisson has been on the